

# The Daily Courant.

Friday, April 11. 1707.

From the Antwerp Courant, dated April 12.

Madrid, March 23.

**T**HE 20th Instant a Decree was publish'd here, by which King Philip appoints Don Joseph Alonso de Parama Knight of Calatrava to go to Brest, to see the Effects landed that were brought by the Capitana of Barlovento and a Perache under the Command of General Don Andres de Pèz, which arriv'd in that Port the 27th of February. The said Knight has Order, in the first Place to secure the Sum which the Duke of Albuquerque Viceroy of new Spain has sent as a Free-Gift to the King, together with all the other Sums belonging to his Majesty, and to send the same with all Care and due Precaution by Land hither; and Order is sent to all the Governours and Officers of the Spanish Towns, to furnish the necessary Carriage and Guards, that the said Treasure may be safely brought to this City. The Sums accruing to the Officers of the Council of the Indies for their Salaries, &c. are to be remitted in such Manner as that Council shall think fit to direct. The Silver, Gold, Cochenal, and other Goods that are for the Account of Merchants or other private Persons, are to be deliver'd into the Hands of such as they themselves shall entrust and empower to receive the same; paying the Duties to the King that are specified in the said Decree. The Effects that private Persons shall chuse to have brought by Land, are to be exempted from all Tolls or other Duties in passing through the Towns and Places of Spain; and King Philip has undertaken effectually to solicit his most Christian Majesty, that the said Effects may be exempted from paying any Customs or Duties in the Towns of France.

Venice, March 26. By a Ship arriv'd in 35 Days from Constantinople we have receiv'd Advice, that great Alterations have been made among the Officers of the Turkish Court. The Aga of the Spahies, for speaking some hot Words against the Ministry, has been turn'd out of his Employment, and fin'd 50000 Pieces of Eight. The Kissar Agasi Chief of the Eunuchs, having espous'd the Interest of Prince Ragotski, and been very forward to advise the Grand Signior to enter into a War against the Emperour, is remov'd from his Office, all his Goods are confiscated, and he himself sent from Court into Banishment. The Caimacan of Constantinople is made Governour of the Island Mytilene, in the Room of Lifus Aga; and the Caimacan's Brother, who is a known Friend to the Christians, is made Governour of the Isle of Scio. By all this it appears, that the Grand Signior has no Intention to make War against the

Christians, or concern himself in the Affairs of Transilvania and Hungary. Two Men of War of 70 Guns each, are fitting out with all Expedition, to carry Signior Angelo Morosini to Constantinople as Ambassador from this Republick.

Vienna, March 26. The Emperour having declar'd, that the Marriage between King Charles of Spain and the Princess Elizabeth of Wolfembuttel is agreed, the Countess of Ringsmaul accompanied by several other Persons of Quality, set out to Day for Wolfembuttel, and will be follow'd the Beginning of next Week by Count Paar. 'Tis said the Journeys of the Princess of Wolfembuttel are so regulated for every Day, that she will arrive here the 3d of May. 'Tis reported his Imperial Majesty is so well satisfied with the Account General Rabutin has given him of his Conduct, that he will confer on him the Command in Chief of his Forces in Hungary. At the Instance of M. Strahlenheim the Swedish Envoy, Count Zobor (who had in the Presence of that Envoy spoken very disrespectfully of the King of Sweden) has been suspended from his Office of Gentleman of the Bed-Chamber to the Emperour, and sent Prisoner to Gratz in Stiria, till it be known what Satisfaction the King of Sweden will demand. All the Advices from Hungary agree, that Prince Ragotski has summon'd a general Assembly of the Estates of that Kingdom, to meet at Rosenau the 4th of next Month. That Prince is now at Erla, having with him M. Desalleurs Envoy from the King of France.

Hagenau, March 31. All the French Troops that are quarter'd in the Franche Comte, are order'd to march hitherwards; but they will not make above 7 or 8000 Men, great Part of the Forces that were in the said Province being gone to Roussillon. 'Tis computed the Army of the Marshal de Villars will not consist of more than 30000 Men; so that 'tis believ'd he will be much outnumber'd by the Germans.

Lauterbourg, March 31. The French Intendant has summon'd in 4000 Pioneers, to make some new Forts and Redoubts along our Lines. In a Wood in the Neighbourhood of this Place, Men are employ'd in cutting 70000 Palisades, and those Workmen are cover'd by two Regiments of Dragoons and 6 Companies of Foot. 40 Boats are come down from Strasbourg to Fort-Louis, which the Germans are cannonading from the other side of the Rhine.

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Landau, April 5. The Deserters from the Enemy, who continue to come over in great Number, agree that the French have mark'd out two Camps, one for their Foot near Schlestadt, the other for their Horse by the Canal of Moltzheim. The Margrave of Bareith uses great Endeavours to bring the Army of the Empire early into the Field; but finds Cause



to send Complaints to the Diet at Ratisbon, of the Slowness of some Princes to furnish their Contingents.

**Metz, April 9.** The Roads between Kirm, Sar-louis, and Hombourg, are repairing with all Expedition, and enlarging 8 Foot broader. This is suppos'd to be done, that the French and Spanish Troops which are on the Sarre and the Moselle, may if Occasion require march up to Alsace the more speedily. The Enemy make Preparations at Trarbach, that seem design'd for attacking Fort St. Martin near Trier.

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**Grenoble, March 31.** The Marshal de Thellé, who came hither for two Days, went back again the 29th to his Camp at Oulz. That Marshal has a List of all the Troops with which General Medavi is to retire out of Italy into Dauphine; according to which they consist of 14000 Foot and 4500 Horse; but the Horses are said to be in too bad a Condition to be able to do much Service this Summer. Most of the Recruits design'd for the Army in Dauphine, are sent to Spain. The Advices from Turin, say the Duke of Savoy is augmenting his Forces.

**London, April 11.**

Yesterday a Person came to Town from Dover, and brought an Account of the Arrival of the King William and Pearl Gallies in Dover Road. They had in their Company 4 other running Ships from Leghorne, which were the Sea-Horse, the Sunderland, the Hanover, and the Loddington. As they were coming by Beachey, came out from under Beachey-Head 6 large French Privateers and engaged them: The King William and the Pearl having fought some Time, made the best of their Way till they came under the Protection of the Platform of the Peer-Head of Dover, whither they were chas'd by the largest of the French Privateers. They can give no Account what became of the rest.

At one a Clock Yesterday Morning, a Fire broke out in a Joyner's House in Crown Court in Charles-street Westminster, which consum'd 12 or 14 Houses before it could be brought under.

By her Majesty's Company of Comedians.

**A**t the Queen's Theatre in the Hay-Market, on Monday next, being the 12th of April, will be presented a Play, call'd, The British Enchanters; or, No Magick like Love. With all the Original Scenes, Machines, and Decorations. To which will be added several new ones, particularly the entire Front Prospect of Blenheim Castle. And another Piece alluding to the late glorious Successes of her Majesty's Arms, &c. At the end of which will be presented a Farce, call'd, The Stage-Coach. All the parts being perform'd to the best Advantage.

This Play is Sold by J. Knappin at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, and B. Lintott next Nando's Coffee-House, Temple-Bar.

Just publish'd,

The 2d Part of the Wolf-Strip of his Shepherds Clothing: In Answer to a late Celebrated Book Intituled, The Rights of the Christian Church Asserted. Wherein the Designs of the Architects, Deists, Whigs, Commonwealth-Men, &c. and all sorts of Sectarists against the Church, are plainly laid Open and Expos'd. Humbly offer'd to the Consideration of her Majesty and the High-Court of Parliament. By one call'd an High-Church-Man. With my Service to Dr. Tindall, &c. Sold by the Booksellers of London and Westminster.

**Lost a Bank Note,** dated the 1st of March 1707. N<sup>o</sup>. 123. payable to Joseph Cam, or Bearer, for 20 l. if offer'd in Payment, or otherwise, pray stop it and give Notice to John Thurston at the City of Norwich Coffee-house in Threadneedle-street, and you shall have a Guinea Reward.

Whereas the East-India Company's Lease taken of the MERCHANT-TAYLOR'S COMPANY of their Hall and other Rooms and Conveniences expires at Midsummer-day next, There are to give Notice that the said Company of Merchant-Taylors are willing to let the same to any other Society or Person as shall have occasion to make use thereof.

A House of 4 Rooms on a Floor, with a Garden, Stables, Coach-House, and other Conveniences, is to be Let at Wanstead near the Green-Man in Essex. Inquire at Sir Orlando Bridgeman's House in Wanstead, or at his House in Soho-Square, London.

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**By John Marshall at the Archimedes and Spectacles** in Ludgate-street. The Art of making Spectacles and other Object Glasses on true Brass Tools, acceptable to the most ingenious Gentlemen and Approv'd by the Royal Society, as appears by the Certificate given me (as order'd by the Society) by that very great Master of all Mathematical and Mechanical Science Capt. Edm. Halley. And Spectacles, that is, such as are wrought untrue or on the ordinary Tools made of Iron or other Materials, are so far from helping that they are prejudicial to the Sight, for they tire and wear out the Eyes. Wherefore by such only as are wrought on true fine Brass Tools, is the Sight truly help'd and very long preserv'd. To the nice and exquisite grinding of the Glasses I add many Conveniences in the framing, &c. particularly I have newly invented a Frame and Box which lies in less room than can be imagin'd, and yet performs the Office of both Reading-Glass and Spectacles. I make Microscopes of all sorts, and Telescopes of the most excellent Work and best contrivance of all lengths. But will give any Man 2 Guineas for that 2 Foot Telescope that will perform as much as a 4 Foot one. Gentlemen may be assur'd of honest and exact performance without Hyper-bolical vanity from John Marshall.

**That the Publick may not be Impos'd upon:** This is to give Notice, That the Noble Electuary which infallibly cures Barrenness in Women, and Weakness, &c. in Men, is remov'd from Mrs. Goodall's, in Cornhill. (because the Author found that Counterfeits were Sold there instead of the True) And is now to be had only at Mr. Spooner's, at the Golden-Half-Moon in Buckle-street in Goodman's-Fields near White-Chappel, at 5 s. a Pot, with Directions: Seal'd up with a Cypher, (as the Right always was.) It corroborates all the Animal Faculties, revives and increases the Spirits, makes the Heart Merry, restores, strengthens and adds Life, Courage and Vigour, to either Men or Women to a Miracle, takes away all Pain in the Back, cures all cold and moist Diseases that occasions Barrenness, and effectually promotes and quickly causes Conception to Admiration. 'Tis pleasant to the Palate, strengthens the Stomach, and is exceeding Comforting and Cordial. Note, The Person that Counterfeited it, has not only had the Assurance, since 'twas Remov'd, Falsely and Maliciously to insinuate, that the True sort, is still Sold at the former Place; but also, has basely taken the very Words out of this Advertisement, to Recommend the Wretched Counterfeit Stuff, Sold there: Therefore all Persons are desired to Mind, that the Famous and truly Noble Electuary which most certainly Cures Barrenness, &c. to a Miracle: Is only to be had at Mr. Spooner's, as above: That Sold elsewhere, being only made in Imitation of it, to Cheat the Publick.

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